

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
EASTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

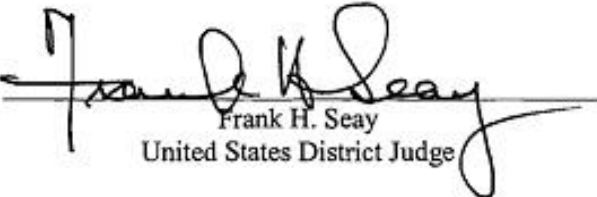
Vernell McKnight)	
Petitioner,)	
)	
vs.)	No. CIV 09-358-FHS-KEW
)	
Walter Dinwiddie, Warden,)	
Respondent.)	

O R D E R

Now before the court is Petitioner's application for a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. It has come to the court's attention that Petitioner was convicted in TULSA County, Oklahoma, which is located within the territorial jurisdiction of the NORTHERN District of Oklahoma. Therefore, in the furtherance of justice, this matter may be more properly addressed in that district.

Accordingly, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2241(d), Petitioner's application for a writ of habeas corpus is hereby **transferred** to the NORTHERN District of Oklahoma for all further proceedings.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 23rd day of September, 2009.


Frank H. Seay
United States District Judge